AGENDA: December 7, 2004

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CATEGORY: Consent

DEPT.: Community Development

TITLE: Resolution of Appreciation –

Contributions of Laura Macias,

Environmental Planning Commissioner

RECOMMENDATION

Adopt A RESOLUTION OF APPRECIATION TO LAURA MACIAS FOR HER CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNING COMMISSION AND THE COMMUNITY, to be read in title only, further reading waived.

FISCAL IMPACT - None.

BACKGROUND AND ANALYSIS

After almost two years of service to the community as a member of the Environmental Planning Commission, Ms. Macias has resigned from the Commission in order to serve as a member of the Mountain View City Council. It is recommended that the attached resolution be enacted in recognition of Ms. Macias' significant contributions to the City of Mountain View.

PUBLIC NOTICING – Agenda posting.

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Attachment: 1. Resolution

CITY OF MOUNTAIN VIEW RESOLUTION NO. SERIES 2004

A RESOLUTION OF APPRECIATION TO LAURA MACIAS FOR HER CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNING COMMISSION AND THE COMMUNITY

WHEREAS, Laura Macias has been an active member of the Environmental Planning Commission from January 1, 2003 through December 31, 2004; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Macias contributed valuable insights to the Commission's work from her perspective as a former Parks and Recreation Commissioner and her experience as a marketing consultant; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Macias was an active participant in crafting recommendations of over 14 major planning issues reviewed by the Commission during her tenure, including Parks and Open Space Implementation related to the General Plan; various Zoning Ordinance amendments and updates; amendments to the Downtown Precise Plan; development of a new Historic Preservation Ordinance; amendments to the Americana Precise Plan to allow for development of the Palo Alto Medical Foundation; and amendments to the El Camino Medical Park Precise Plan; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Macias always brought a fresh perspective of a marketing consultant to the Commission's considerations and focused on finding the best solutions for Mountain View; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Macias has been elected to the City Council and will continue to contribute to the City in that capacity;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Mountain View City Council, on behalf of its members, City staff and the community, hereby expresses its sincere gratitude and appreciation to Laura Macias for her years of dedicated and insightful service as a member of the Environmental Planning Commission.

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